

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

TO HQ MAC SCOTT AFB IL//CC//PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: ZAIRE AIRLIFT OPERATION

1. REQUEST THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE BE TRANSMITTED TO ALL  
THOSE INVOLVED IN THE RECENT ZAIRE AIRLIFT. QUOTE:  
I WANT TO CONGRATULATE THE MEN AND WOMEN OF MAC AND USCINCEUR FOR  
THEIR MAGNIFICENT PERFORMANCE DURING THE RECENT ZAIRE AIRLIFT. THE  
ALCE, MAINTENANCE, AIRCREW, AND COMMUNICATIONS PERSONNEL IMPRESSED  
US AND ALL THOSE THEY SUPPORTED WITH THEIR PROFESSIONALISM,  
DEDICATION AND ABILITY TO ADAPT TO NEW AND DIFFICULT  
CIRCUMSTANCES IN GETTING THE JOB DONE. THE WORLD WAS WATCHING,  
AND THEIR EXEMPLARY CONDUCT AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES  
REFLECTS GREAT CREDIT UPON THEMSELVES AND THEIR RESPECTIVE  
ORGANIZATIONS. SIGNED, WALTER L. CUTLER, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO  
ZAIRE. UNQUOTE.  
CUTLER

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